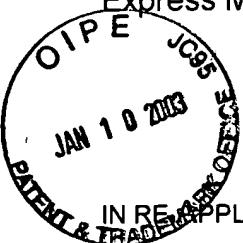


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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Edward Balassanian  
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Amendment

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Sir:

The present communication responds to the Office Action dated September 13, 2002, in the above-identified application. Please amend the application as follows.

In the Claims:

Following is a complete listing of the claims pending in the application, as amended:

1 - 142. (Cancelled)

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Sub E1 143. (Amended) A method in a source appliance for sending data via a network to a destination appliance, the method comprising:

receiving via the network a notification from the destination appliance that the destination appliance is connected to the network, the notification indicating source data types that the destination appliance can render to a resource of the destination appliance, the destination appliance having a network address;

receiving a request other than from the destination appliance to send data to the destination appliance;